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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Jun Kamakita, et al.

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Examiner:

Marc A. Scharich

For:

ELECTRIC POWER STEERING DEVICE

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed September 10, 2007. A Request for Continued Examination responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. A check for the extension fee (\$340.00; \$460.00 minus \$120.00 previously submitted) and RCE fee in the amount of \$1,150.00 is attached. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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